REMARKS

Applicants thank the Examiner for total consideration given the present application. Claims 1-14 were pending prior to the Office Action. Claims 1-14 have been amended and Claim 15 and 16 have been added through this Reply. Therefore, claims 1-16 are pending. Claims 1, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16 are independent. Favorable reconsideration and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

ALLOWABLE SUBJECT MATTER

Applicants appreciate that claims 1-14 are indicated to define allowable subject matter. Claims 1-14 have been amended to address indefinite claim language and should be allowed.

SCOPE OF CLAIMS NOT ALTERED

Claims 1-14 have been amended merely to address informal issues and to enhance clarity. It is intended that the scope of the claims remain substantially the same. Applicants respectfully submit that the amendments made to the claims do not add any new matter to the application and they are not narrowing, and are not made for a reason relating to patentability. Accordingly, it is submitted that these amendments do not give rise to estoppel and, in future analysis, claims 1-14 are entitled to their full range of equivalents.

35 U.S.C. § 112, 2ND PARAGRAPH REJECTION

Claims 1-14 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as allegedly being indefinite.

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Although Applicants do not necessarily agree with the Examiner's assertion of indefiniteness, Applicants have amended claims 1-14 to remove, *alleged indefinite term*, "-type" in order to expedite prosecution.

Claims 1-14 have been amended as suggested in the Office Action. Applicants respectfully request that the Section 112, second paragraph rejection of claims 1-14 be withdrawn and be allowed.

NEW CLAIMS

Claims 15 and 16 recite a device for driving a projection display apparatus. Claims 15 and 16 are believed to be in condition for allowance.

CONCLUSION

All rejections raised in the Office Action having been addressed. It is respectfully submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance.

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact D. Richard Anderson. No. 40,439 at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

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If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37.C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.14; particularly, extension of time fees.

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